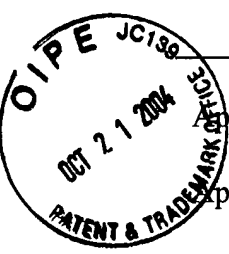


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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Election of Species mailed on September 29, 2004 in connection with the above application, Applicants hereby elect the first embodiment of Figs. 1A – 1D, 2A – 2C, 3A – 3C without traverse. Applicants state that claims 1, 3, 4, 5, 9, and 15 read on this embodiment of Figs. 1A – 1D, 2A – 2C, 3A – 3C and that claim 1 is generic.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

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